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Classified By: A/DCM Steve Bondy for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d).

(C) A/DCM June 14 delivered reftel demarche concerning building support for Guatemala in the 2006 election for the UN Security Council to MFA Director for International Organization Affairs Ghassan Shaikho. Shaikho replied that he had initiated work on this subject and the Foreign Minister was well aware of the issue. Bahrain would soon receive a presidential envoy from Guatemala to discuss his country's UNSC candidacy. Shaikho pledged that Bahrain would give full consideration to the U.S. position.

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